

# The Leader

DRY GOODS CO.  
J. D. WIENER & J. A. MILNE  
HUTCHINSON, KANSAS.

POINT NO. 208.

## IMPORTANT

## CHANGES!

Mr. J. D. Wiener  
Goes out

January 1, 1896.

Someone else comes  
in-which you will  
hear about later.  
To make the change  
the present stock  
must be

Closed out  
In 30 days.

To prepare for this  
immense.

## SALE

Our store will be  
closed on

Wednesday,

27th,

Thursday,

28th,

And Friday,

29th.

Sale to commence  
on

SATURDAY,

The 30th.

Watch for further  
announcements.

(Signed

**THE LEADER**  
Dry Goods Co.  
J. D. WIENER, J. A. MILNE  
Managers

## THE ATROCITIES.

The Sultan Charged with Ordering  
the Armenian Massacres

### THE WORST NOT PUBLISHED

If the English, French and Russian Consuls  
Were to Make Known Their Official  
Reports Europe Would  
stand Aghast.

BOSTON, Nov. 26.—The following letter  
has been received from a reliable  
person in Constantinople:

The Turks have induced some of the subordi-  
nate European papers to speak of these atrocities  
as Armenian outbreaks, etc., but the embassies  
do have full reports which they ought to publish  
that refute these and show conclusively  
that within a day or two after the signing of the  
reform scheme, the sultan ordered the Armenians  
to be massacred in order that there should be  
no question of an Armenian majority in  
any of the provinces. The people caught the  
swords of the sultan and so did not escape the  
sultan's will to the fullest extent. But the  
loss of life has been awful. Moreover, there  
seems to be no way of preventing more of  
the same sort. It is the most awful crime of  
the century, I repeat. It is persist-  
ently falsified by its authors. Everywhere  
the story is the same—a deliberate  
preparation and then a story sent by Europe  
that the Armenians attacked the inoffensive  
Turks and were reduced to order after  
a few had been killed. Worse times are  
in store for us Europe. Europe is divided in  
council, and the Turks finding that nothing  
is done for this crime will go on to ex-  
tremes. The highest Moslem court has  
declared that the sultan cannot lawfully be  
restrained in the exercise of his will, since  
he is the representative of God for the whole  
earth. From 1,000 to 3,000 people have been  
slaughtered during the last month and in con-  
sequence no less than 100,000 persons hereto-  
fore dependent on them for their daily food are  
now in want. The coming winter will witness  
a vast amount of suffering. It is not alone at  
Sassoun, but all over the land that the occur-  
rences have taken place.

**The Worst Not Made Public.**  
LONDON, Nov. 26.—A dispatch to the  
Daily News from Constantinople giving  
a general resume of the situation,  
declares that recent massacres put the  
early outrages of Sassoun and Moosh  
entirely in the background. If either  
England, France or Russia should publish  
the stories reported officially by  
the cool-headed consuls, all Europe  
would stand aghast at the proofs.  
Wherever these consuls have investi-  
gated matters they have found that  
the accusations that the Armenians  
provoked the riots are false.

The Vienna correspondent of the  
Telegraph announces that strenuous ef-  
forts are being made throughout the  
Armenian provinces to compel clergy-  
men and prominent persons by threats  
to sign addresses to the sultan declar-  
ing that the Armenians provoked all  
outbreaks. It is claimed that the one  
which recently appeared from Erza-  
roum was procured in this fashion.

### CORBETT'S RETIREMENT.

Says He Abandoned in Favor of Maher Be-  
cause He Was an Irishman.

LYNN, Mass., Nov. 26.—Retired Cham-  
pion J. J. Corbett said in an interview  
yesterday: "I am disgusted with the  
entire business and henceforth will  
confine my entire time to the stage.  
No matter what the public may say,  
whether it be complimentary or other-  
wise, I cannot be induced again to  
enter the arena. They may say when  
I whipped Sullivan he was an old man,  
and that I never whipped a good man  
in my career, but I am fully deter-  
mined in my purpose to quit. I suppose  
the public blames me for not  
pulling off the fight with Fitzsimmons,  
but I am not disposed to answer any  
criticism and will not do so. I be-  
lieved the championship upon Peter  
Maher because he is an Irishman and  
because I prefer he should have and  
defend the title rather than place it in  
the custody of an Australian or Eng-  
lishman."

### RELATED TRAINS.

The Storm Caused Passengers from All Di-  
rections Much Inconvenience.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 26.—Yester-  
day's storm seriously affected the train  
schedules in this city this morning,  
and most of the trains from the east  
and west pulled into the Union depot  
behind time. The conductors re-  
ported no serious trouble with  
the crippled wire service, which made  
the running of the trains hazardous  
and uncertain. The cars were covered  
with ice and snow, and looked as if  
they had come through a blizzard.

### A BOY FIEND.

He Confessed to Having Murdered His Fa-  
ther and Mother and Another.

ALBANY, Ore., Nov. 26.—Lloyd Mont-  
gomery, the 19-year-old boy under ar-  
rest for the murder of his father and  
mother and Daniel McKeeher, near  
Brownsville last Tuesday, has made a  
full confession admitting that he  
killed all three of them. He says he  
shot his father because he scolded him  
and killed his mother and McKeeher  
because they took his father's part in  
the quarrel.

### Wants a Convention.

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, Mo., Nov. 26.—A  
number of local democrats in differ-  
ent sections of the state are co-oper-  
ating in a movement to induce the  
democratic state committee to fix the  
next democratic state convention for  
this place. It is argued that delegates  
and committees would have more time  
here to attend strictly to business than  
if they should meet in one of the  
larger cities.

### Many Derivicks Blown Down.

BLUFFTON, Ind., Nov. 26.—Last night  
the worst storm in the history of  
Wells county swept over this place.  
The estimated damage in the county  
will exceed \$50,000, the worst damage  
being reported from the oil fields. Over  
500 derivicks were blown down.

### Cigarettes an Excuse for Murder.

STOCK CITY, Ia., Nov. 26.—William P.  
Royce, when arraigned for the murder  
of Constant Roush, alias Nellie Patton,  
formerly of Van Meter, Ia., whom he  
shot Sunday, entered a plea of insanity  
due to the cigarette habit.

Wright Bros., dealers in general mer-  
chandise at Warrensburg, Mo., whose  
store was burned last Saturday, have  
made an arrangement. The liabilities  
are about \$2,000.

## A TRAIN WRECKED.

Unknown Parties Throw a Switch  
and an Engineer is Killed.

### AN EMERY WHEEL BURSTS.

A Man's Skull Crushed—Caught at a Cross-  
ing—Killed by the Cars—Thirteen  
Horses Burned—Killed by  
a Mad Dog.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 26.—At Win-  
field, 60 miles west of here on the Kan-  
sas City, Memphis & Birmingham rail-  
road, unknown parties drove a wedge  
between the inner rail and split rail of  
the switch, half throwing it, with a  
view to wrecking the midnight Bir-  
mingham express for robbery. That  
train happened to be late, and a west-  
bound coal train was wrecked. The  
locomotive toppled over. Engineer  
Albert Zimmerman attempted to jump,  
but was caught between the tender and  
the engine as it went down and  
crushed to death. His fireman sprang  
through the window and escaped.  
There is no clue to the wreckers.

**An Emery Wheel Bursts.**  
ELKHART, Ind., Nov. 26.—Charles J.  
Weller, a well-known young man, aged  
21 years, of this city, while in the  
emery room of the Buecher Manufac-  
turing Co's plant here, was struck by  
half of a bursting emery wheel, which  
had been making 3,500 revolutions per  
minute, and killed. His skull was  
crushed.

**Caught at a Crossing.**  
SPOKANE, Wash., Nov. 26.—Fred  
Mayes was struck by a passing train  
here yesterday as he was driving  
across the tracks. He was thrown  
40 feet, striking on his head, fractur-  
ing his skull. The horse was also  
tossed into the air and killed. Mayes  
is still alive, but cannot possibly re-  
cover.

**Killed by the Cars.**  
PINE BLUFF, Ark., Nov. 26.—After  
losing his wife, falling and injuring  
his leg, and severely scalding himself  
while cleaning hogs, all within the  
month past, R. P. Boyd, while walking  
on the Iron Mountain track, near  
Dumas, Ark., was run over by a pas-  
senger train and crushed to death.

**Thirteen Horses Burned.**  
HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., Nov. 26.—The  
large stable of J. P. Etch, a wealthy  
farmer, residing near this city, was de-  
stroyed by fire yesterday morning, to-  
gether with all its contents, consisting  
of thirteen horses, all his crop, vehi-  
cles and farming implements. The fire  
was the work of incendiaries.

**Bitten by a Rabid Dog.**  
FOVLER, Ind., Nov. 26.—Yesterday  
afternoon the 8-year-old daughter of  
Joseph Danner was bitten by a rabid  
dog. This is the third case of a like  
nature in the past three days, and the  
authorities are now killing all un-  
muzzled dogs.

### AGENT GLICK INDORSED.

The United States Pension Commissioner  
Upholds His Recent Decision.

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 26.—Pension  
Agent Glick's refusal to take from the  
post office vouchers on which postage  
was not wholly prepaid, has called out  
a letter from United States Pension  
Commissioner Lochren. Mr. Lochren  
thinks Mr. Glick's stand is a good one,  
and has ordered every pension agent  
to take the same position. The com-  
missioner's letter is as follows:

Continued complaints have come from the  
United States pension agents, that notwith-  
standing the fact that the pensioners are  
to forward their executed quarterly vouchers  
for payment, habitually place a larger  
number of such vouchers in one envelope, with  
but one letter stamp or clearly insufficient  
stamps for postage thereon; with the result  
that the United States pension agent must pay  
postage on the packet when offered  
for delivery to him, or refuse  
to receive it and allow it to  
go to the dead letter office. No such case  
occurs when the pensioner sends his own voucher,  
as a single letter stamp is always sufficient  
for transmission. The notices and claim  
agents, allowed doubtless collect postage from  
the pensioners and dishonestly retain it, ex-  
pecting that the United States pension agents  
will pay the postage rather than delay the  
payments. There is no way to end this petty  
swindling except by the refusal of the United  
States pension agents to pay such deficient  
postage, and you are instructed hereafter to  
refuse such payment. If pensioners will in-  
trust their business to men so devoid of hon-  
esty as to pilfer their postage, there is no good  
reason why the loss and inconvenience should  
not fall on them, rather than on the United  
States pension agents.

### THE BLIZZARD AT ST. LOUIS.

The Heavy Sleet Demoralizes the Tele-  
graph Service.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 26.—The first bliz-  
ard of the season struck this city early  
last evening and continued until nearly  
daylight this morning. The snow-  
fall is about 5 inches, but on account  
of the high winds it is badly drifted.  
The heavy sleet had a bad effect on  
telegraph, telephone and other electric  
wires and the service is demoralized.  
From 11 o'clock last night until 11  
o'clock this morning St. Louis had  
been cut off from all telegraphic com-  
munication with points east, west and  
north. The reports received so far  
this morning state that the blizzard  
extended from North Dakota to Texas  
and from Colorado to the Atlantic  
ocean. The railroad traffic suffers se-  
verely and nearly all roads report  
trains from one to six hours behind  
time. It is feared that the storm will  
cause great hardship to cattlemen in  
the territories and Texas.

### The Hearst Trial Set.

BOWLING GREEN, Mo., Nov. 26.—Last  
evening Joseph C. Hearst and Mrs.  
Fannie Hearst, charged with the mur-  
der of Amos J. Stillwell, at Hannibal  
in 1889 were brought into court, the  
case called and set for trial on Decem-  
ber 9. The sheriff was ordered to pre-  
pare a jury and it is understood that  
the case will be ready for trial on that  
date.

### Newspaper Printers Strike.

GUTHRIE, Ok., Nov. 26.—The union  
printers of the Morning Leader and  
State Capitol struck last evening. The  
strike is due to the papers entering the  
scale for night work 3 cents and for  
day work 5 cents. The papers refused  
to compromise on a 2-cent cut, and the  
printers, backed by the international  
union, people to fight hard.

### MET ON THE CURVE.

Collision on the Santa Fe in New Mexico—  
Several Persons Fatally Injured.

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 26.—General  
Manager Frey, of the Santa Fe, re-  
ceived word last night of a head-on  
collision that occurred just east of  
Shoemaker, N. M., between the east-  
bound Chicago limited and a freight  
train. The trains met on a sharp  
curve. Both engines were destroyed.  
The mail car was thrown on  
top of an engine, and the bag-  
gage car and one chair car are  
upside down in the river. About  
twelve passengers were more or less  
seriously injured. Engineer Bourne  
of the flyer and the postal clerk are  
missing. The injured passengers were  
taken to a Las Vegas hospital and  
wrecking crews started from Raton  
and Las Vegas to clear the way and  
repair about 630 feet of track which  
was torn up. The accident happened  
about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Shoe-  
maker is about the third station east  
of Las Vegas. Two persons were  
killed and two injured so that they  
may die and seventeen others received  
injuries more or less serious.

Postal Clerk H. G. Russell was in-  
stantly killed and Postal Clerk F. D.  
Pitney died shortly after the accident  
from his injuries. Benton Cunnig-  
ham, newsboy, will die. His home is  
at Seelye, Cowley county, Kan. Freight  
conductor J. M. Robb was badly in-  
jured and scalded; will probably die.

### Hogs for Sale.

I have for sale 10 Poland China  
Boars. Good for any service.  
D. W. KENT,  
Hutchinson.

### Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters re-  
maining in the Hutchinson postoffice  
Nov. 28, 1895.

### LADIES' LIST.

Foyd, Mrs. Belle  
Caine, Mrs. F. M.  
Gibbs, Mrs. William  
Miller, Mrs. Anna  
Reed, Mrs. C. E.  
Reed, Mrs. C. E.

### GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Dr. Wm. C. B.  
Gardner, Howard D.  
Edward, J. W.  
Gibson, R. W.  
H. Roper, Henry  
Morgan, Rev. S. J.  
Plough, Sheridan  
Reed, Carl H.  
Reed, Carl H.  
Snyder, C. W.

Parties calling for any of the above  
named letters will please say, adver-  
tised.

In order to get out of his mess Mr.  
Goldberg is selling one certain lot of  
\$3.00 and \$3.50 hats at only 48c.

### December Democrats.

The holiday number of the Democrats  
Family Magazine promises to be the  
best number of valuable periodical ever  
printed.

"The subject 'Are we moving forward?' is  
ably discussed by Mrs. William Tod  
Helmuth, Elizabeth Cady Stanton,  
Henry M. Stanley, Rev. Dr. Robert Col-  
lier, pastor of the Church of the Mes-  
siah, and others.

"These articles alone are worth many  
times the cost of the magazine of a cash  
value could be placed on them.  
It also contains many interesting ar-  
ticles on other subjects. As a Christmas  
present and one that can be remem-  
bered, nothing would be more appropriate  
or appreciated than a year's subscrip-  
tion to Democrats Family Magazine."

### Kansas Farmer.

Do you know how to prepare on a farm?  
Every farmer can be more successful if  
he reads the "old reliable" Kansas Far-  
mer. Call, or send this office or write a  
postal to Topeka for this week's Farmer  
and supplement of benefits. It costs  
you nothing. No politics in it, but a  
strictly agricultural paper expressly for  
the western farmer. Read our clubbing  
proposition.

### They are Great.

What? Why some of the good bar-  
gains offered in I. Goldberg's closing  
out sale.

### Cosmopolitan.

A complete and immediate revolution  
of transportation methods, involving a  
reduction of freight charges on grain  
from the west to New York of from 50  
to 60 per cent., is what is predicted in  
the November Cosmopolitan. The plan  
proposes using light and inexpensive  
corrugated iron cylinders, hung on a  
slight rail supported on poles from a  
cross-arm—the whole system involving  
an expense of not more than fifteen  
hundred dollars a mile for construction.  
The rolling stock is equally simple and  
comparatively inexpensive. Continuous  
lines of cylinders, moving with no in-  
terval to speak of, would carry more  
grain in a day than a quadruple track  
railway. This would constitute a sort  
of grain-pipe line. The Cosmopolitan  
also points out the probable abolition  
of street-cars before the coming horse-  
less carriage, which can be operated by  
a boy on asphalt pavements at a total  
expense for labor, oil, and interest, of  
not more than one dollar a day.

### New Harness Shop.

Mr. C. C. Cole has severed his con-  
nection with the old firm of Jones &  
Cole, and has opened up a new shop  
at No. 5 Sherman street east where he  
will be pleased to meet all his old cus-  
tomers and as many new ones as he  
can. If you need any repairing don't  
miss the place. No. 5 Sherman east. 3 tf

### Sheriff's Sale.

[First Publication November 28, 1895.]  
In the District Court of Reno County, Kansas.  
Notice is hereby given that I will offer for sale  
and sell, at public auction, to the highest and  
best bidder for cash in hand, at the east door  
of the Court House, in the city of Hutchinson,  
in Reno county, Kansas, on Tuesday, Decem-  
ber 31, 1895, at 10 o'clock A. M., of and out-  
standing the following described real estate,  
situate in said Reno county, Kansas, to-wit:  
Lots twenty-five (25) and twenty-seven (27),  
Block 4, Avenue west, in the city of Hutchinson,  
each of thirty-three (33) by one hundred and  
sixty-five (65) feet, Reno county, Kansas.  
Said sale will be made under and by virtue  
of an order of sale heretofore issued out of  
the office of the clerk of said Court, in an ac-  
tion therein pending wherein J. M. Watson, is  
plaintiff, and Hugh S. Johnson, Sophia E.  
Johnson and Clarence A. Parks, Trustees, are  
defendants, and is so directed and delivered.  
Witness my hand at my office in the city of  
Hutchinson, in Reno county, Kansas, this 26th  
day of November, 1895.  
J. Q. PATEN,  
Plaintiff's Attorney.  
First Pub. Reno County, Kansas, 27th Nov. 1895.

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Dentist.

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M. J. RUDDY, D. D. S.,

Dentist.

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his ability as a journalist; where he  
stands on all public questions and what  
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